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CARRIERS COMPRISING VIABLE

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MICROORGANISMS AND USE THEREOF

IN BIOLOGICAL CONTROL

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 Sir:

In response to the office action mailed April 30, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application.

Amendments to the Claims appear herein starting on page 2.

Remarks in support of the patentability of the claims appear herein starting on page 8.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. Should any fees be required, please charge all such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP deposit account 50-1814.